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BRITISH LEAVING DARDANELLES IS CALLED VICTORY

Turks Claim Great Losses Inflicted On English As They Withdraw

GREEKS FIRE ON FRENCH CLASH WITH BULGARS

Russian Squadron Bombarbs Bulgarian Town On Black Sea

Berlin by wireless to Sayville, L. I., Dec. 21.—The Constantinople war office today claimed a great victory in the battle when the British forces were withdrawing from the Gallipoli peninsula.

London yesterday claimed the losses consequent upon the withdrawal were insignificant.

Greeks Fire On French. Dec. 21.—Greeks at Fort Karaburnu, dominating Salonika, fired upon a French detachment which failed to heed their command to halt, according to dispatches today to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

Bulgars and Greeks Clash. London, Dec. 21.—Athens dispatches today reported a clash between Greek and Bulgarian troops in Albania, and said Greek forces had placed themselves at Doiran between the lines of the allies and Bulgars.

Russian Fleet Busy. London, Dec. 21.—A Russian warship, escorting 10 troop laden transports, bombarded Varna, Bulgarian Black sea port, yesterday, according to an Athens dispatch today.

Are Still At It. Paris, Dec. 21.—A large Russian squadron is bombarding Varna, Bulgaria, on the Black sea, said a Berne dispatch today.

Bulgars Entrenching. Amsterdam, Dec. 21.—Bulgar troops are entrenching at many points on the Greek border, according to advices here today.

Sunk By Submarines. London, Dec. 21.—The British vessels Huntly (formerly the German Ophelia) and Belford, have been sunk by submarines, but their crews were saved.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS. Chicago, Dec. 21.—Three quarters of a million dollars is being distributed to 10,000 employees of the Crane company in various parts of the United States—a ten per cent dividend on his annual salary.



Mrs. Tilford Meade's mother, is ninety-eight years old and has never seen Ford. There's too many inferior people grubbing about fate.

AUSTRIAN COUNT THINKS QUARREL SHEER NONSENSE

Count Stephen Tisza Who Is Called Emperor Joseph Calls It

TREATED ONLY AFFAIR WILL SOLOVE ITSELF

Instead of Breaking Relations Austria Is Seeking Successor to Dumba

By Carl W. Ackerman. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Berlin, Dec. 21.—There will be no quarrel between Austria and the United States if Washington keeps cool.

Count Stephen Tisza, who next to Emperor Franz Josef, is Austria's strongest man, gave this assurance to the United Press in an interview at Budapest in the course of my week's visit to Austria and Hungary to ascertain sentiment concerning the American Ancona note.

"To think of trouble between Austria and America—sheer nonsense," said the count, who had just conferred with the emperor at Vienna over the Ancona situation.

"I must confess, though, that we were greatly surprised to receive the American note. But it is far from our intention to get into any quarrel with America. Perhaps I shouldn't say quarrel because I know it wouldn't be that, but, of course, matters do not depend on us entirely.

"There is no reason for trouble over the Ancona case. It must be settled satisfactorily, not only from the standpoint of America but also from our own. The only way to reach a settlement is through correspondence which will suggest the means."

Further indications that Austria does not contemplate a break came from Tisza's statement that Austria is now studying the question of selecting a successor to the recalled Ambassador Dumba. Moreover, American Ambassador Penfield also pointed this out at Vienna when he said that twice on that day the Ancona reply was sent to Washington.

Asked America to urge her good offices to obtain concessions for Austria in belligerent countries.

Counsel General Coffin at Budapest, who daily meets the Hungarian ministers, said that the cordiality of their relations had not been interrupted by the note. Coffin believes the dual monarchy does not desire a break and will prevent one.

From persons outside of official circles came the statement that the government is not so much to America's demand for disavowal, as it is to Washington's manner in the case.

It was suggested to Tisza that the Vienna visitor is surprised at the number of the aged Emperor Franz Josef's daily conferences.

"The world has quite a false impression of him," the count replied. "He is awake at four every morning and works until 8 at night like a man of 40."

He now gives detail of foreign and military affairs. He has retained his strength of mind and physically he is one of the strongest men in the monarchy.

CEMETERY FOR DOGS

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Circular drives and mossy mounds, a crematory and all that goes to make up any first class cemetery are contained in the first cat and dog burying ground here which is operating today in full blast.

BULL MOOSE TO MEET JANUARY ELEVENTH

National Committee Meets In Chicago—Some Wealth at Gary Dinner

New York, Dec. 21.—The magic political date is now January 11. On that day, the bull moose national committee will meet at Chicago to select a convention date and city.

Though it was reported the bull moose may hold their convention in Chicago on the same date as the republicans, there was no confirmation of the story today.

He expressed fear that if the Republican convention uses steam roller methods, somebody might "graft" Colonel Roosevelt.

Many politicians believe that certain bull moose and republican leaders are trying to come to peace terms.

Unconfirmed reports said that Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Presidential Secretary Tamm telephoned acquaintances here asking what the Gary dinner, at which Roosevelt was present, was about.

It is estimated that a tenth of the nation's wealth was represented at the dinner. Fortunes of 15 guests alone totalled nearly \$1,000,000.

Market Remains Quiet French Bonds Feature

(Copyright 1915 by the New York Evening Post.) New York, Dec. 21.—A narrow movement on the stock exchange today, with a diminishing volume of business, showed a tendency to increased interest in the Christmas recess.

Bonds were inactive but less so than stocks, signifying that the investment demand is finding an outlet in available investment securities.

The Anglo-French five per cent bonds were active. Nearly a half million dollars worth were dealt in hourly, and although the price was not over 95, the bonds were firm.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH. Newport, Or., Dec. 21.—The four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Washburn is dead here today. Her clothes caught fire from a red hot stove and she burned to death.

By J. W. T. Mason. (Written for the United Press.) New York, Dec. 21.—Spain may be preparing to join the Germans, retake Gibraltar, and annex Portugal. A Gibraltar story of Spain's ordering Remington rifles coincided with reports that Spain has deposited here \$20,000,000 with which to purchase munitions.

GENERAL VILLA CROSSES BORDER ABANDONS FIGHT

Beaten At All Points He Seeks Safety Under the "Despised American Flag"

VILLA'S AND CARRANZA'S LEADERS SIGN TREATY

Eight Years' Revolution Ends, But Another Liable to Start at Any Time

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 21.—General Francisco Villa's campaign to make himself Mexican leader has crumbled. Beaten at every turn in the last few months, he has abandoned the last remnants of power, and, according to reports today, is hiding in this city.

His brother, Colonel Hipolito Villa, gave himself up last night to justice department officials. They told him he will be safe and unmolested within the United States, provided he adheres to strict neutrality and makes no effort to foster a new revolution against the Carranzista regime.

Villista and Carranzista heads have signed peace articles. These give control to the Carranzista in the territory where "Pancho" Villa once held sway.

The state of Chihuahua and the cities of Juarez and Chihuahua fall into Carranza control. Villa's men are promised immunity, but according to reports, General Villa and Colonel Villa are not allowed amnesty.

This, however, may be only a surface peace, according to officials here. They fear that wild disorders among Villa's henchmen may follow reports that he has definitely quit the revolution.

The Villa treasury is "clean." When the soldiers find they cannot be paid, the trouble, it is feared, may start all over.

With the signing of peace articles, nearly eight years of revolution came to an end. In that time, Villa saw himself rise almost to controlling power within Mexico, only to be overwhelmed by General Carranza, with whom he broke after they had been allies for some time.

Recognition of Carranza put the quietus on his ambitions and led to the present absolute destruction of his power.

It may be too late for early Christmas shopping, but it is not too late to avoid being among the last shoppers.

Spain Buys Munitions. New York, Dec. 21.—Spain has entered the American market to buy \$20,000,000 worth of munitions and machinery to complete equipment of the Spanish munitions plants.

Francisco Xavier Salas, Spanish consul general here, admitted today to the United Press that a commission of five military officers has been here since February, quietly engaged in rounding up huge orders.

Four hundred million cartridges and shells have already been ordered for the earliest possible delivery. Many rifles and field guns are required, but no orders have been placed because manufacturers here are asking exorbitant prices for them.

Think Move Significant. Gibraltar, Dec. 21.—English officers here attached great significance today to the Spanish order substituting the latest type of Remington rifles for the country's old Mausers.

CHINESE REVOLT STARTS

San Francisco Dec. 21.—First information as to the progress of the revolutionary movement against Emperor Yuan Shi Kai was received by local Chinese today, when a cablegram brought the news that five of the most important provinces of China have openly revolted.

SAILORS GO MAD FROM LONELINESS ON FLEET

Tar Writes of Lonesomeness On Vessels Employed In Blockade

New York, Dec. 21.—The peril, hardship, cold and loneliness that has driven mad some of the tars who man the British blockade fleet outside the 3-mile limit off our Atlantic coast, has been written of by an Englishman riding "The Tides of Barnegat," aboard the Sydney, to an old mate in this city.

Light also is thrown by the letter upon the recent chase through a midnight fog of the freighter Zelandria by a mysterious armored cruiser—the Sydney. This is the same Sydney which ran the notorious German raider Emden ashore on an Indian ocean island and shot her to bits.

The Sydney recently has been transferred to the Atlantic blockade fleet. The letter says in part:

"Dear Jerry: It looks as though we were to spend another Xmas on the briny deep. It has been terribly cold out here and we have had a hard time of it. The other night we ran short of coal and had to shoot down to Bermuda."

"Jerry, of all the pieces God ever made, Barneygat, or whatever they call it, is the worst. If it ain't blowing it's snowing or raining, and there is a continual swell running that keeps your insides snug against your main compartment for days at a stretch."

"There's nothing to do but hang on and off, watching for some louse of a freighter that's expected up from somewhere in South America. The only excitement we've had was the funeral of poor old Bob Siddons. You remember we three were together in Chatham last year, after I had been invalided home from the sub, patrol on the Dogger? Bob has been ailing for months, but he wouldn't quit. To tell you the truth, he was too bloody old to stand the strain. So we dropped him over night before last."

"I snuck a shot with him, and his hammock, and God knows we could spare it because we don't expect to need any off here. Give me the life in the North sea, chasing Perry's (submarine) periscopes. You could get a bit of a thrill doing that, and it was worth while getting hit. Out here you might as well be on a training ship. The men are mostly sickly and you can't exactly call them happy. They have nothing to think of except the arrival of the cutter with papers and letters. Lord save us from another job like this."

"I heard some of the boys in the Caronia (former Cunard liner, now converted cruiser) went crazy and I don't blame them a bit. A lot of us will be going the same way before long."

"We are looking for the cutter today and expect to get a supply of fresh greens. But she'll smother herself and pieces against our side and suppose everything. That's what happened last time. The bloody pilot must have been a tram conductor in Putney. No notice was given and no hearing was ever held and the judge ruled that the action of the board was irregular in this respect. In reviewing the case he stated that married teachers were employed in the district and that they had proved competent, evidently, or they would not be re-employed from year to year. The fact that a teacher who was competent entered the state of matrimony was nothing against her as a teacher and that school men had said that teachers often became better instructors after marriage than they were before. That marriage alone was not sufficient grounds for dismissal and since there were no other charges made against her the lower court was not in error."

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MARRIAGE NO BAR TO TEACHING SAYS SUPREME COURT

Justice Harris, Decides in Favor of Matrimony and Comely Teachers

PORTLAND SCHOOL MUST PAY TEACHER'S SALARY

Schools Need Not Suffer If Teacher Has a Home of Her Own Is Ruling

After considering a few points of law and the fact that Leap Year is dead due Supreme Judge L. T. Harris decided this morning that a school teacher may marry and still teach school. Married or single she should be dismissed, said the judge, if she is incompetent, but if she is competent and qualified before her marriage there is no reason to believe that she would be any less competent after her marriage.

The ban is sometimes placed upon marriages for teachers on the grounds that she "may" devote more time to her home than her school but Judge Harris reasons that should she join the church she "may" devote more time to the church work than to the school and that possible incompetence should not be anticipated and dismissal based upon anticipation.

The case in particular was that of Maud L. Richards against the members of the Portland school board and L. R. Alderman, superintendent of the Portland city schools. Maud L. Marsh was employed first in the Portland schools September 22, 1911, and taught until January 5, 1915. On January 4 she assumed a husband and the board dismissed her when she came to school on the morning of January 5. The case was carried into the circuit court and Judge Robert G. Morrow allowed a preliminary writ of mandamus against the school board commanding that she be reinstated as teacher and that her salary be paid from the time she was dismissed. The school board appealed but the supreme court decided that the circuit court was right in holding against the school board in favor of the woman.

Miss Marsh was first employed in 1911 and in 1913 the legislature passed a law for districts of more than 20,000 in which it was declared that any teacher that had been employed for two years or more should be placed upon the list of "permanently employed." Permanently employed teachers under the law could be dismissed by the board or suspended for incompetency or other personal charges brought against the teacher but a formal complaint was required to be filed and the teacher so dismissed given three days' notice to appear at a hearing in the matter before the action of the board became final.

According to the evidence in the Richards case the plaintiff appeared at the school room on the morning of January 5 after she had informed the principal of the school the evening before that she intended to get married that night. When she arrived next day she was informed by the principal that he had secured a substitute in her place and that she was dismissed. At the next regular meeting of the board formal action was taken dismissing Maud L. Richards, formerly Maud L. Marsh, from the position as teacher in the Portland schools.

Judge Harris ruled that since she was on the permanently employed list that a written notice of dismissal was necessary and also a hearing in the matter. No notice was given and no hearing was ever held and the judge ruled that the action of the board was irregular in this respect. In reviewing the case he stated that married teachers were employed in the district and that they had proved competent, evidently, or they would not be re-employed from year to year. The fact that a teacher who was competent entered the state of matrimony was nothing against her as a teacher and that school men had said that teachers often became better instructors after marriage than they were before. That marriage alone was not sufficient grounds for dismissal and since there were no other charges made against her the lower court was not in error.

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HENRY FORD SICK OVER QUARRELS AMONG HIS PARTY

Norwegian Papers Poke Fun At Bunch But Have Sympathy for Leader

BELLIGERENTS SEND SPIES TO WATCH THEM

3000 At Meeting Called By Ministers, Straggle Out When Aked Speaks

By Charles F. Stewart. (United Press staff correspondent.) Christiania, Norway, Dec. 21.—Henry Ford, who conceived the mission of getting the boys out of the trenches by Christmas, is ill in bed, possibly in a serious condition. Until he recovers, the peace party will remain at Christiania.

Meanwhile, public sentiment has veered sharply in favor of the Detroit. They don't poke fun at him, though newspapers "joshed" his delegates today, particularly criticizing Madame Schwimmer, Hungarian. Of Ford, they said that he is an admirable personality.

The Aftenposten accused Madame Schwimmer of coming from New York to an imaginary peace committee in Europe for the purpose of fooling the other delegates.

The Tidenest, a leading paper, called Ford "another Tolstol," but declared that he brought only his personality which was insufficient to accomplish his great task.

"His Childlike faith will be remembered long after his mission is forgotten," observed the Tidenest.

It was learned today that spies have been sent here by the belligerents to ascertain whether an ulterior motive prompted the peace party.

A delegation of Norwegian peace advocates is certain to join Ford.

Last night 3,000 persons attended a meeting under the auspices of the Ministers' society. As Rev. Dr. Charles Aked, of San Francisco, booked as the star attraction, arose, the crowd began to dwindle. Rev. Aked spoke very briefly and explained that the school had led him to condense his prepared speech.

SCHMIDT WAS SORRY HE DID NOT DO WORK ALONE

Detective Tells of Accused Man's Admission to Him In Chicago

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 21.—Detective J. V. Meserve was the chief witness in the J. M. Schmidt murder trial here yesterday.

He declared he met David Caplan in a San Francisco cafe on the Sunday night before the Times was blown up, and asserted Caplan left hurriedly during the evening, remarking that he had to catch a late train for Los Angeles.

In May, 1914, Meserve said he took a room in the house of Emma Goldman the anarchist, in New York, and lived there until September of last year. While there, the detective declared he met Schmidt, who said:

"I will have to get a new glass eye. I am afraid the police have a description of the one I am wearing."

Meserve alleged Schmidt said he was sorry he had not done the job alone. Schmidt, according to Meserve, also told of a meeting of the "higher ups" preceding the explosion, at which he asserted Anton Johansson, San Francisco labor leader, "got scared."

The witness swore Schmidt said he told Johansson he intended to "go through with it" whether Johansson wanted to call it off or not. Meserve referred to Olaf Tveitmo, labor leader, as "the old man" and also mentioned the names of E. B. Morton and others prominent in the world of union labor.

EX GOVERNOR DEAD

Boise Idaho, Dec. 20.—Former Governor J. T. Morrison died suddenly today of heart trouble. He was governor of Idaho in 1903-04.

county, action for damages, opinion by Justice Beaton, former Circuit Judge No. and a judgment for defendant reversed.

Mathilde Niehaus, appellant, vs. Otto Shetter, et al, appealed from Coos county, suit to quiet title, opinion by Benson, former Circuit Judge Harris' judgment for defendant affirmed.

Petitions for rehearing were denied in Service & Wright vs. Sumpter Valley Railroad company, Rauswamy vs. Hammond Lumber company, and Bush vs. School District No. 5.